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Excerpt of pertinent information:

P. 4--NICOLA showed a special interest in the clandestine activities pursued by certain groups abroad for establishing contact with Rumania. He first referred to the activities of the "Col." TOMOROVEANU - Col. OPRAN" group in France, and of Gen. Dumitru PETRESCU. He did not seem to know for what organization TOMOROVEANU and OPRAN were working. He knew, however, that the two colonels were working with the French and that PETRESCU was subordinated to them operationally. He knew, too, that during his visit to Paris in October 1949, General RADESCU had approved the clandestine contacting of Rumania by the group. He imagined that if RADESCU gave his approval, he probably furnished the group with the necessary funds. . .

P. 5--NICOLA told [] that in October 1949, while RADESCU was in Paris, NICOLA had sent him a memorandum - which he had previously shown to General GHEORGHE - in which he explained the need for creating a Rumanian intelligence service abroad and described his possibilities of organizing that service. He has received no answer from RADESCU to the memorandum. . . .

P. 6--Finances of PATRIA - NICOLA complained to UNISON that although GHEORGHE had received assurances from RADESCU in Paris, in the fall of 1949, that he would aid GHEORGHE's Committee financially, especially for the publication of PATRIA, no sum of money has so far been received.

The cost of the publication of the paper has risen during the months of December 1949, January and February 1950. . . GHEORGHE would not have increased the pages of the paper if he had not received and relied on RADESCU's assurances that he would aid GHEORGHE financially. In order to be able to publish the last issues of PATRIA, GHEORGHE was forced to sell a rug from his home.

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